

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph no. [0032] with the following amended paragraph:

As used herein, one of skill in the art will appreciate that “media” or “computer-readable media” may comprise a diskette, a tape, a compact disc, an integrated circuit, a cartridge, ~~a remote transmission via a communications circuit~~, or any other similar medium useable by computers. For example, to distribute computer system software, the supplier might provide a diskette ~~or might transmit the instructions for performing predetermined operations in some form via satellite transmission, via a direct telephone link, or via the Internet.~~

Please replace the paragraph no. [0033] with the following amended paragraph:

Although computer system software might be “written on” a diskette, or “stored in” an integrated circuit, ~~or “carried over” a communications circuit~~, it will be appreciated that, for the purposes of this discussion, the computer usable medium will be referred to as “bearing” the instructions for performing predetermined operations. Thus, the term “bearing” is intended to encompass the above and all equivalent ways in which instructions for performing predetermined operations are associated with a computer usable medium.

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